

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Presentation

DOLA Programs

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DOLA and the Recovery Act

- Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Plan (HPRP) **\$8,154,036** for state Competitive Grants.
- National Stabilization Trust Second Allocation (NSP2) **\$2 billion Nationwide Competitive Grants.**
- Community Services Block Grants, **\$8,646,994** formula allocation to 64 counties.
- Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) **\$2,861,220** Competitive Process.

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State Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Plan (HPRP) \$8,154,036 Competitive Grants

Purpose: **Short-term and medium-term assistance**

- Rental assistance
- Security deposits
- Utility payment assistance



- Non-profits and housing authorities eligible.
- All funds must be spent within 3 years of the grant award.
- Lead Staff responsible are Lynn Shine, 303-866-2046 and program manager (TBD).

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National Stabilization Trust Second Allocation (NSP2) \$2 billion Nationwide Competitive Grants

Purpose: **Stabilize housing values and properties in neighborhoods.**

- Housing authorities & nonprofit organizations eligible.
- Housing units may be purchased/rehabilitated for resale or rental.
- HUD determines who will be funded.
- Lead staff responsible are Lynn Shine, 303-866-2046 and NSP Program Manager (TBD).

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Community Services Block Grants (CSBG) \$8,646,994 Formula Allocation

Purpose: **Assist Colorado citizens living in poverty to become more self sufficient.**

- Eligible grantees or county governments to provide services and activities addressing employment, education, income management, emergency services, nutrition, housing and health to combat the central causes of poverty.
- Eligible citizens are at incomes of 200 percent of poverty (\$21,600 for a family of one to \$59,060 for a family of six).
- Dollars must be spent by September 30, 2010
- Lead staff responsible – Lucia Smead - 303-866-3128 and Christy Culp – 303-866-2369.

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Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) \$2,861,220 Competitive Process

Purpose: **Development of public facilities, housing, and economic development.**

- Eligible projects require at least 51% of the project beneficiaries must be low to moderate income individuals.
- State will prioritize the awarding of CDBG projects that are bid-based contractable within 120 days from date of funding availability.
- Dollars must be spent by September 30, 2010.
- Lead staff responsible - Becky Murray - 303-866-2818 and Lucia Smead - 303-866-3128.

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